

In the Claims

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (First amended) -- A surveillance system, comprising:

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- a) a [primary] video camera for translating real images of an area into electronic video signals [at a first level of resolution];
 - b) means for sampling movements of an individual [or individuals] located within the area from [the] said electronic video signals [output] of [from] said [at least one primary] video camera;
 - c) means for electronically comparing [the video signals of] said sampled movements with predetermined characteristics of movements [which are indicative of individuals engaged in criminal activity];
 - d) means for [determining the level of said criminal activity, said determining] predicting future movements of said individual based on said electronic comparing means of said sampled movements [means being dependent on said electronic comparing means]; and
 - e) means for generating a signal [indicating presence of a predetermined level of criminal activity] responsive to predetermined predicted future movements.--

2. (First amended) -- The surveillance system in accordance with claim 1, wherein said signal generating means activates a video signal recorder for recording said video signals from said [at least one primary] camera. --